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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.		
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a period ofmonths. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)		
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3. Fees The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed 1253 5/0.09 OP		
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